

## State of Jaho DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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June 6, 2003

WATERMASTER LYNN GRAMKOW 196 PORTER CREEK RD HORSESHOE BEND ID 83629

Re Updated Water District Information

Dear Lynn:

Enclosed is updated information following our field inspection yesterday. Please replace the information I gave you yesterday with this newer version.

I assembled the following items for your watermaster file.

<u>Updated Watermaster Instructions for 2003</u>: Please confirm the rate of flow units displayed by the Dovel/Heffner flowmeter by June 30 and let me know. I think it reads in gpm but could not verify that during the visit. Also note that you should contact me if you receive a call to deliver water. I want to accompany you on the first delivery so we can practice water measurement and proper records keeping and so forth. If you have to deliver water when I am not available, go ahead and do your best. Then contact me by the next business day and I will visit the diversions with you as a follow up measure. Note the information for allowing delivery to the #5 Woods diversion for stockwater without a measuring device. Please relay that information to Cliff. He might not need to install a measuring device under the conditions listed in the watermaster instructions. He can call me if he has any questions in that regard.

<u>Table of Deliverable Water rights</u>: This includes rights typically delivered under various conditions in past years. Other rights either have not complied with measuring device requirements or have not had priorities old enough to allow delivery to occur. I will update this table if the Dovel/Heffner flowmeter does not display gpm.

Table of Complete List of Water Rights: Covers all water rights from Porter Creek with the exception of decreed right no. 65-22184 for one inch (0.02 cfs) for instream stockwater on BLM land near the mouth of the creek. I am investigating the protocol for dealing with that newly decreed right with a 1934 priority date to see what, if any, management implications this right introduces. Meanwhile, do not worry about it

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<u>Conversion Factors</u>: I prepared some conversion factors to make it easier to convert various measurements into cfs for watermaster daily log books in case you need to deliver water and record the results

Please let me know anytime you need more information.

Sincerely,

Steve Lester

Water Rights Supervisor

Enclosure